

Home Going Celebration
In Loving Memory of
Evangelist Charlene H. Jackson



Sunrise
May 14, 1946

Sunset
January 26, 2011

"The Lord is my light..." Psalms 27:1

Saturday, February 5, 2011 ~ 10:00 A.M.

Acts Full Gospel Church of God In Christ
1034 66th Avenue
Oakland, California 94621

Officiating – Dr. Wendell C. McCoy, Sr. Associate Pastor

Obituary

First Lady Charlene H. Jackson

Charlene Henrietta Jackson was born on May 14, 1946 in Pittsburgh, PA. Her parents preceded her in death, Charles Henry Jackson and Ruth Hazel Dunmore Jackson. She was the seventh of twelve children.

Sister Charlene attended public schools in Pittsburgh, PA. She graduated from David B. Oliver High School in 1964. Later she attended and graduated from Duff's Business Institute (now Everest Institute) in the Executive Secretary Program in 1966. She was employed at Duff's while in school and after graduation. All of her work experiences were in the Executive Secretary field. She worked for the City of Pittsburg, PA., and the City of Oakland, California.

Sister Charlene was filled with the Holy Ghost in Pittsburg, PA. She joined Clark Memorial Baptist Church, Homestead, PA, under the leadership of Pastor Tuney. She moved to Oakland, CA. in 1977. The move was a sign to show her the church that would become her Oakland church home—Oakland Bible Church. She became a member of Oakland Bible Church in 1978 under the leadership of Pastor Charles Mixon and First Lady Earline Mixon.

Later she met and married Bishop Bob Jackson in 1983 which started a life of wonderful and exciting adventures. She became the second mother to his children, Lisa Henry, Robert Jamal Jackson, Kamani Jackson Wiley and Shavonn Jackson Bean. One son was born to this union, David E. Jackson.

In 1984 she dedicated her life to ministry, side by side with her husband Bishop Bob Jackson, as the First Lady of Acts Full Gospel Church of God in Christ. She worked diligently and faithfully at Acts Full Gospel Church of God in Christ as the Office Manager and his personal Administrative Assistant. She loved her job and humbly shared her gifts, as unto the Lord. She also had a special love for the Praise and Worship Ministry and the Women's Department.

Sister Charlene is the author of **"Don't Start No Mess, Won't Be No Mess"** published October 1, 2000. She is an anointed singer and a gifted seamstress who loved shopping and spending time with her grandchildren. Her special hobbies included painting and watching the Home Design Network.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories, her beloved husband of 28 years, Bishop Bob Jackson; her loving children, David E. Jackson (Gwendolyn), Lisa Henry (Charles) of Austin, Texas, Robert J. Jackson (Carmen) of Richmond, CA, Kamani Jackson Wiley (Christopher) of Stockton and Shavonn Jackson Bean (Aaron) of Oakland; her adored grandchildren Dajian Christine and Daisha Charlene, Nia Henry, Omari Henry, Robert Charles Henry, Pharoah Jackson, Kierra Hodge, Kamari Hodge, Kamora Glenn, Kennedy Wiley, Andrew Smith III and Ashton Bean; her loving siblings: Janice E. Cannon of Oakland, Alicia Jackson of Pittsburg, PA., Robert Evans of Oakland, Virginia Dunmore of Los Angeles, James Dunmore and Howard Clayton, both of Pittsburgh, PA., and the late Charlotte Sanders, Shirley Squair, Viola Horsley, Alice White, and Ruth Elizabeth Jackson; sisters-in-law: Betty Irby (Joe) of Jacksonville, FL., Fredi Jackson and Frances Jackson both of Portland Ore., Dr. Doris Limbrick (Anthony) of Oakland; brothers-in-law: Homer Jackson of Los Angeles, A. Joe Jackson (Minnie) of San Leandro; only living uncle, William Clayton of Pittsburg, PA., and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, friends and the entire Acts Full Gospel Church of God in Christ family. **First Lady Charlene Jackson touched many lives and will be missed forever but never forgotten.**

Order of Service

Processional	"Total Praise"	Chords of Acts Mass Choir
Invocation.....	Elder Mark Claybrooks, Associate Pastor	
Scripture Reading:		
Old Testament.....	Elder Andre Benson, Associate Pastor	
New Testament	Elder Kerwin Davis, Associate Pastor	
Musical Selection.....	"Thank You Lord"	Chords of Acts Mass Choir
Acknowledgement of Cards and Condolences.....	Gherin Easterling	
Expressions from Public Officials.....	Congresswoman Barbara Lee	
Expressions from Clergy.....	Bishop J.W. Macklin, Glad Tidings COGIC	
	Bishop Ernestine Reems, Center of Hope Community Church	
	Bishop Q.C. Simmons, Agnes Memorial COGIC	
	Dr. David Kitely, Shiloh Christian Fellowship/President Pastors of Oakland	
	Dr. J. Alfred Smith Sr., Allen Temple BC	
	Bishop Frank Pinkard, Evergreen MBC	
	Pastor Russell Duley, Kaleo Christian Fellowship	
	Pastor Andrew Jackson, Faith Temple COGIC, Memphis, TN	
	Pastor Joe L. Smith, Good Hope MBC	
Resolutions Acknowledged.....	Dr. Wendell McCoy, Sr. Associate Pastor	
Musical Selection.....	"Lord I'm Available to You"	Chords of Acts Mass Choir
Expressions	1 Minute Each Please	Friends/Family
Obituary Reading.....	Juanita Walker	
Video Presentation.....		
Presentation of Plaque.....	Dr. Wendell McCoy, Sr. Associate Pastor	
Musical Selection.....	"Precious Lord"	Frances Jackson
Testimony of First Lady Charlene Jackson.....		
Proclamation of Hope.....	Apostle Ron Hill, Pastor Love and Unity Church, Compton, CA	
Recessional.....	"Direct Me"	

Interment
Rolling Hills Memorial Park
Richmond, California

First Lady Charlene Jackson



Her Personal Touch

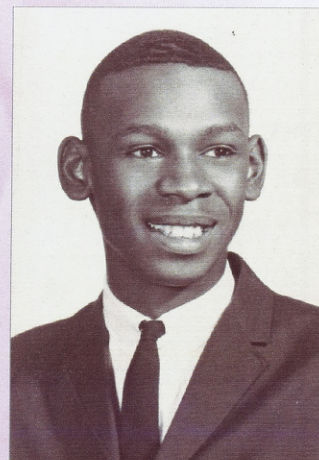
A most significant personal event happened to me on **April 29, 1976**. ***I received the Lord Jesus Christ.*** I thank God that there were some things I did not get involved in. Nevertheless, I was a sinner on my way to Hell. I was also sin sick, angry and full of hatred. There was no one to blame but myself. I was paying for my sins. I was trying to ***“get saved”*** and was going from church to church trying to find God. On that Thursday, April 29th, a young minister was on a mission to introduce our community choir to the Lord Jesus. He called and asked me if I wanted to be saved. ***My answer was yes.*** I received the Lord Jesus into my heart during that phone call.

All anger and misery vanished. Indeed floods of joy swept over my soul. I have never looked back. I am not saying that I never did anything else wrong. When I did do wrong, I confessed my sins. However, I never had a desire to return to a life of sin and misery.

The Lord “Jesus is the Best Thing That Ever Happened To Me”. I heard that song some time before I got saved. I loved it when I first heard it and it still brings tears to my eyes to this day. I didn’t mind playing the original version by James Cleveland over and over again. Nothing that ever happened to me has been as profound as knowing the Lord Jesus Christ as my personal Savior. ***If you don’t know the Lord Jesus, I hope you make Him your Savior today!***

*“The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?
The Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?” (Psalms 27:1).*





Just One Moment Please! Tomorrow may be too Late
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 When You Keep Well!"

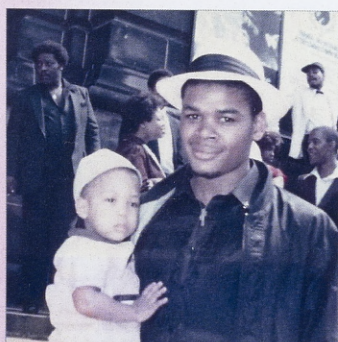
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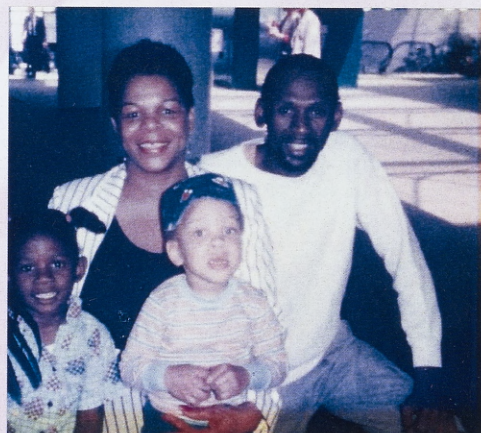
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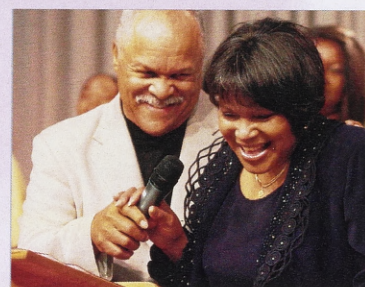


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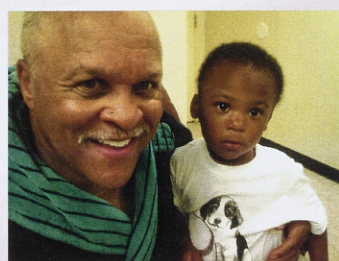
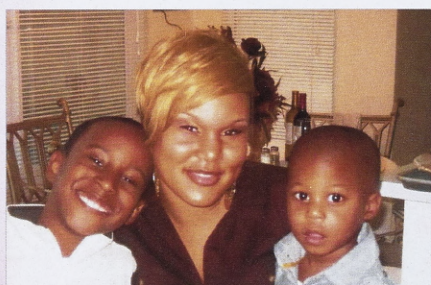




From David







Active Pallbearers

Elder Edgar Allen
Elder Kelvin Liggins
Elder Al Chaney

Shaundel Davis
Elder James Cornn
Karl Mason

Ronald Gardner
Elder Corey Vason

Honorary Pallbearers

Minister A. Joe Jackson
Anthony (Tobob) Limbrick
Elder Kerwin Davis
James Dunmore

Robert Leon Evans
Daniel Limbrick
Anthony Limbrick
William Clayton

Homer L. Jackson Jr.
Andrew Jackson
Howard Clayton

Family Acknowledgement

*Perhaps you made a comforting call or just sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a card or dish of food. If so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words any friend could say.
Perhaps you weren't there at all, just thought of us that day, whatever
you did to console our hearts, whatever the part we thank you.*

Acknowledgements

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Oakland Police Department
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Evangelist Pat McCoy
Kaiser Permanente
Tammy Benson
Natdell Stone
Tina Chaney

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Evangelist Janice Cannon (Sister)
Evangelist Doris Limbrick (Sister-In-Law)

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